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DISEASES OF MINERS

This Vital Question Came Up Before the Commission.

EXPERT TESTIMONY.

Dr. Frank P. Lenahan of Wilkesbarre Testified that Fully Ninety-Nine Per Cent of the Men in Mines Are Anemic.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 21.—The economic and sociological features of the anthracite coal industry and the effect that the employment in and about the mines has upon the health of the mine workers were the principal subjects brought before the arbitration commission Thursday by the attorneys of each side to the controversy. While there was an entire absence of the brilliant cross-examination which marked the proceedings during the last few days, the cross-examination individually held the attention of the commissioners.

The afternoon session was particularly interesting, because it brought out much expert testimony on the health of the mine workers. Three physicians, who have practiced in Scranton or Wilkesbarre, took the stand for the miners, and in substance testified that the occupation of a mine worker was very unhealthy and shortened his life. Dr. Frank P. Lenahan of Wilkesbarre, who says he has had a long experience among the mine workers, testified that fully 99 per cent of the men who work in the mines are anemic. Their health is impoverished and their condition is below par, thus decreasing their earning powers. The principal ills suffered by the miners, the physicians said, were the miners' asthma, rheumatism, lumbago and sciatica. The miners' asthma comes from coal dust, powder smoke and vitiated air. Dr. John O'Mally of Scranton said that at post-mortems he had seen miners' lungs as black as anthracite itself, and Dr. Lenahan testified that he had personal knowledge of a man coughing up coal dust nine years after he had left the mines. He said he had information that a man had coughed up coal dust fifteen years after he left the mines. It was also stated that 90 per cent of the miners who reach the age of 50 years are afflicted with some form of rheumatism.

The cross-examination of the Rev. Peter Roberts ended shortly after the noon recess. Copious extracts from his book were read and placed on record.

Simon P. Wolverton, counsel for the Reading company, read much from the matter pertaining to violence in the 1900 strike, and also read articles written by Roberts during the progress of the late contest, in which he described in strong language the acts of violence, intimidation and boycotting committed during that suspension.

AMERICAN GIRL SLAIN.

A Young Lady Who Was Studying Music at Paris Victim of a Bullet.

Paris, Nov. 21.—Miss Helen Gore, said to be American, was killed by a revolver shot in the apartment occupied by Jean de Rydzenski, an actor of the Imperial theatre of St. Petersburg. De Rydzenski at first said Miss Gore committed suicide, but subsequently he declared the revolver went off accidentally.

Consul General Gowdy is personally investigating the death of Miss Gore, who was completing her musical education here and resided in the fashionable quarter of Passe. When found Wednesday evening the victim was unconscious and had a bullet wound over her right eye. Two doctors were summoned to attend her, but she died without regaining consciousness. The police have accepted the theory of the young Russian singer, who was in the room at the time, that the shooting was the result of accident during a scuffle for possession of the weapon. De Rydzenski is of a rich and noble Russian family. He is the son of a Russian general and he has uncles who hold high positions in the government service.

Miss Gore lived in the Avenue la Grande Armee not far from the place where the tragedy occurred. The affair has caused much excitement in that locality and the police are continuing their investigation.

Democratic Bears.

Ashville, N. C., Nov. 21.—While at Oolihewah Junction, Tenn., where President Roosevelt's train stopped for water, a tall raw boned mountaineer engaged the president in conversation. The Tennesseean remarked that the bears in Mississippi had proved too wild for him. "Perhaps they were Democratic bears, and took to the woods upon my arrival," replied the president, smiling.

★ Knoxville the president shook

hands with a sister of the lieutenant colonel of his regiment.

He was given a warm greeting here.

All Over the Bottoms.

Tyler, Tex., Nov. 21.—The Sabine river north of Tyler is all over the bottom lands, being several miles wide in places.

Streetcar Strikers Won.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 21.—The street car strike ended Thursday night, the company complying with the demands of the strikers.

EDWARDS' REPORT.

Chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs Tells of the Work Performed.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The annual report of Colonel Charles R. Edwards, chief of the bureau of insular affairs of the war department, shows the officers in response to the demands of congress and the public performed a vast amount of work and collected and prepared for general requests considerable amount of matter. The demands of the bureau has been so great that Colonel Edwards found it necessary to recommend an increase in the clerical force. In addition to many other important duties which the war department assigned to the bureau, it was charged with the labor in the United States incident to the selection of appointees on certification of United States civil service commission and the arrangement for transportation to the Philippines. The reports show great care taken in the selection of those who are to take positions in the Philippines.

The bureau is accumulating a library of insular documents so as to record the work performed by this bureau segregated from the war department, and will furnish the only official library of the Philippines, Porto Rico and Cuba extant.

Recently the bureau has undertaken map work.

The Philippine insurgent records and captured documents have been brought to Washington recently and loaned to the bureau for the preparation of information for the public of a large volume of facts regarding the insular possessions of the United States.

PECULIAR FATALITY

Bullet Goes Through a Pigeon's Body and Kills a Boy on a Roof.

New York, Nov. 21.—August Lauber, seven years old, was killed near his home at Brooklyn by Peter Bumhoffe, a pigeon fancier. Young Lauber was with some playmates on the roof of the barn reading when Bumhoffe discovered a coxer among his pigeon cotes. Securing a rifle he fired at the strange bird, which seemed endeavoring to lead away his pets. The rifle ball passed through the pigeon and sped on to the adjoining building where the children were studying their lessons in the open air unknown to the man who fired the shot. August was sitting near the edge of the roof. The bullet struck and killed him instantly, his body falling to the street, twenty-five feet below.

Bumhoffe was horrified at the result of his marksmanship. He was arrested on the charge of homicide.

SPEARED BY A STRIP.

Piece of Wood Passes Through the Neck of a Connecticut Workman.

New York, Nov. 21.—John Leonard of Groton, an employee of a ship building company, has been speared by a ten foot strip of wood that flew from a circular saw. The lance like missile struck him in the throat, passed entirely through his neck and eighteen inches of the wood projected behind his right ear. Companions sawed off the greater part of the stock and Leonard walked to a building in the yard. Physicians found that the stick had passed between the muscles and the important vessels of the throat and neck. It was impossible to withdraw it without danger of killing Leonard. All the muscles on one side of the neck had to be cut and the spear was removed from the side. Leonard probably will recover.

DANUBE DISASTER.

Steamer of That Name Sinks and Thirty Persons Are Drowned.

Vienna, Nov. 21.—The Danube, a steamer, crowded with workmen, sank off Craova, a frontier town of Servia on an island in the Danube river. Thirty of them on board were drowned owing to the darkness, boats from shore-only being able to rescue five persons.

Rome, Nov. 21.—At the reception of 500 Piedmontese pilgrims the pope joyfully referred to unfounded rumors Thursday of his indisposition, adding: "My time has not yet come. We may see many things accomplished before death."

New Paymaster General.

London, Nov. 21.—The Duke of Marlborough has resigned the office of paymaster general and has been succeeded by Sir Savile Crossley, M. P.

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DEATH OF WILLIAM KOPPE.

WAS A CITIZEN OF BRYAN MORE THAN THIRTY YEARS.

HAD A MOST REMARKABLE CAREER

As a Merchant and Planter—His Death Was a Great Shock to the Entire Community.

The people of Bryan were deeply shocked and grieved yesterday morning by the brief announcement in the Eagle of the tragic death of Mr. William Koppe, who died by his own hand at his residence a short time after midnight. He was alone in the room at the time of the shooting, and sat in a chair when he was found by those first to reach his side. A physician was called at once and reached the scene while the body was yet warm, but death had been instantaneous. The ball entered behind the left ear and passed entirely through the head, coming out behind and above the right ear. Justice W. Gillie Mitchell viewed the body soon after the tragedy and rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts set forth in the above.

William Koppe was born in Germany and came to Bryan in 1868. He was then a young man without means, but was a skilled tanner and went to work for Mr. Tom Burt, who was at that time in the hardware business here. Industrious and frugal habits soon enabled him to save enough from his earnings to invest in and operate a line of drays. Good fortune attended this venture and later he purchased the hardware business of Mr. Burt. His prosperity increased with the passing years and he added grocery and dry goods departments to his business, which grew to mammoth proportions and

required the services of a small army of salesmen. Subsequently he purchased a plantation in the Brazos bottom and disposed of his dry goods and grocery departments. He erected the handsome three story building on Main street, now occupied by Mr. J. Allen Myers, and continued in the hardware business until 1895, when he sold out to Mr. Myers, after a remarkably successful career as a merchant, extending over a period of twenty-seven years.

He owned more than 7000 acres of land in Brazos and Burleson counties and had one of the most magnificent plantations in the valley of the Brazos. At one time, before it was touched by the ravages of recent years, it was an estate of almost baronial magnificence with game preserves, fisheries, natatorium, and all the conveniences which wealth could supply. Naturally his losses have been heavy in recent years, owing to the repeated disasters that have devastated the Brazos bottom plantations, but his farm is still one of the best and most valuable in the bottom. He also leaves other property in Bryan and in the country, and life insurance amounting to \$40,000.00.

Mr. Koppe was married three times. His first wife was a daughter of William Koppe Jr., a wife and two step-daughters, Misses Carrie and Bertha Horetsky. He was a nephew of Mr. M. Keolch of the Kurten community. His age was 54 years, 10 months and 12 days.

He was a man who loved home comforts and spared no means in supplying them. He was also fond of reading and exceedingly well informed, being especially fond of scientific researches. He was fond of his friends, of whom he had a number, but he was not a man to court popularity. In the last few years he had suffered a great deal from ill health, and was confined to his home with rheumatism at the time of his death. Except in this respect, however, he seemed to be in good health at the time of his death.

Those who looked upon him yesterday saw a calm face in which there was no shadow of pain, no evidence of the slightest struggle in the passing of his soul. The physician's skill had removed all traces of the shot, and the perfect repose of the features made one al-

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Guatemala is a prey to volcanic eruptions and threatened with revolution. If Roosevelt still pines for the strenuous life he might trade jobs with the Guatemalan president.

Mrs. Nation attended the New York horse show and monopolized attention by lambasting the members of the "400" on the evils of extravagant dress until she was thrown out. Mrs. Nation has out-Watersoned Watterson in bearding the social lions.

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RAPIST LYNCHED.

Kentucky Negro Who Assaulted Two Indiana Ladies Swung by a Mob, Sullivan, Ind., Nov. 21.—George Moore, the Kentucky negro who criminally assaulted Mrs. Davis of Sullivan county, and Mrs. John Lemon of Knox county on Tuesday last, was hanged to a telegraph pole one mile east of John Lemon's farm at eight o'clock Thursday night by a mob.

Moore was captured at Lawrenceville, Ill., late Wednesday after a battle with the town marshal, during which the negro was shot three times and severely wounded. He was then taken to Robinson, Ill. for safe keeping. John Lemon, husband of one of the women who had been assaulted by the negro, with a party of friends, went to Lawrenceville Wednesday night and identified him as the woman's assailant. Late Thursday afternoon he was brought to Sullivan in a wagon by the sheriff and his deputies to be taken before the woman for further identification.

The sheriff and his deputies attempted to steal into town with their prisoner, but a mob of forty or fifty farmers, heavily armed, took the prisoner away from them, and started the investigation themselves. The negro was taken to the home of Mrs. Davis, where he was identified, and then the mob started for the farm of John Lemon, ten miles from this city. The mob in the meantime had swelled to enormous proportions. The negro was identified by Mrs. Lemon. The crowd then started back to Sullivan with the prisoner, but one mile east of the Lemon farm a rope was thrown over the arm of a telegraph pole and the trembling wretch was quickly jerked into the air.

The governor had ordered out the Vincennes militia company to protect the negro, but his instructions were received too late. After hanging the negro the mob quietly dispersed. It was composed mostly of farmers, but was largely augmented by the citizens of Sullivan, Oaktown and other towns of this county.

Sheriff Dudley Deposed.

Indianapolis, Nov. 21.—Governor Durbin notified Sheriff Dudley of Sullivan county, where James Moore, the negro who assaulted Mrs. Mary Davis, was hanged by a mob Thursday night, that his office was vacant, and the coroner becomes sheriff ex-officio.

The Indiana law provides that the sheriff shall vacate his office when a prisoner in his charge is lynched.

CREATED A SENSATION.

Mrs. Nation Made Matters Interesting for the 400 at Horse Show.

New York, Nov. 21.—Mrs. Carrie Nation created a sensation at the horse show Thursday. She harangued the great gathering on the evils of over dress, attempted to break a bottle of champagne and finally was ejected from the building by the police. She stood by the Vanderbilt box and delivered a tirade against dress. She told the Vanderbilt ladies they ought to be ashamed of themselves for "wearing such disgraceful clothes. Take them off! Take them off at once, and attire yourselves more modestly."

Alfred C. Vanderbilt hastily left his position at the rail and went over to where Mrs. Nation was standing, and wiping her forehead with a handkerchief he whispered something to her and pushed her away.

The outburst of the woman attracted a great crowd of people and the occupants of the Vanderbilt box were evidently very much embarrassed. Mrs. Nation then turned her attention to the other boxes. Finally she started for the cafe, where she bore down on a party of men who were drinking wine. Mrs. Nation seized a bottle and glaring at the men shouted: "Young men, don't drink such filthy stuff."

"You are going straight to hell. Where is the man who sells this stuff? Show him to me and I will tell him what I think of him."

Mrs. Nation's request was speedily granted by the sudden appearance of M. Ville Pigue, the caterer at the garden.

"Get out of this horrible business," she shouted at him, "you are also going to hell and ruining the bodies of men; you are dragging them down with you. Shame on you, shame on you!"

The Frenchman, however, ran to Mrs. Nation and rescued the bottle which she had repeatedly brandished in the air to emphasize her remarks. Then he pushed her out of the door.

Killed by Machinery.

Richmond, Tex., Nov. 21.—James Glenn and a man named Myers, employed in the Cunningham sugar mill at Sugarland, were killed by the machinery Thursday. Myers was a son of a Dr. Myers of San Antonio.

Leases Not Forfeited.

Indianapolis, Nov. 21.—The appellate court has decided that a lease of land for oil and gas is not forfeited because the company plugged a good gas well and refused to operate it.

Finished in Two Territories.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 21.—The senate sub-committee visiting the territories has completed its investigations in New Mexico and Arizona.

Fatal Slip.

Pilot Point, Tex., Nov. 21.—W. W. Marshall, a Katy conductor, slipped off an engine. He fell under the wheels and was instantly killed.

Given Fifteen Years.

Paris, Tex., Nov. 21.—Price Jones, colored, charged with the murder of Molinda Alexander, was given fifteen years.

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Southbound No. 2 2:00 p. m.
Southbound No. 4 4:16 p. m.
Southbound No. 6 2:46 a. m.
Nos. 3 and 4 are fast trains, stopping only at principal stations.

Local News

Rivers Patout, of Navasota, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. J. F. Eaves was here from Millican yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. W. Winter is visiting relatives in Waco.

Miss Esther Boatwright returned from Navasota yesterday.

Miss Teresa Steiner, of Houston, is the guest of Miss Nellie Rohde.

August Thomsen, of the College community, was in town yesterday.

Read our picture "ad" and don't miss the opportunity. Wilson & Jenkins. 300

M. S. Freeman of Wellborn was in the city yesterday and gave the Eagle a call.

The H. & T. C. sold 84 tickets for the special train to Houston yesterday, making a total of nearly two hundred and fifty since the carnival began.

Prof. J. M. Oneal has been called to Fort Worth to attend his brother, Prof. B. G. Oneal, formerly of this city, who is very ill with typhoid fever.

The game of football between Trinity and the A. and M. at Houston yesterday afternoon was an easy victory for the A. and M. boys. Score 34 to 0.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the Free Baptist church at 11 a. m. on Thanksgiving day, with preaching by Rev. Jewell Howard, pastor of the Christian church.

For Sale—Six room house, three lots of ground, underground cistern, out houses, all in first-class condition, south-front, between court house and Allen Academy. A. W. Hollman. 316

The I. & G. N. has just completed an up-to-date interlocking long distance signal and switching device at the point where the line crosses the H. & T. C. at College. The structure is 35 feet high (two stories) and sixteen by sixteen feet. The foundations are concrete and the system for controlling the signals and tracks perfect. The upper story containing the levers is fitted with glass and commands the tracks both ways. A man will be kept in the tower night and day. The construction crew has gone to Navasota to build a similar one there. They will no doubt be placed at all crossings on the line.

G. M. Brandon of the firm of Wagener & Brandon, left for New Orleans last night to attend a big forced sale of dry goods. It is the underwriters sale of A. Lehman's \$180,000 stock of seasonable goods. Being informed that things will go at a sacrifice, it is Mr. Brandon's intention to buy heavily for this store here, and he will probably have some good things for his customers in a short while.

Mr. W. E. Brazelton of Houston and Miss Mollie Mills, daughter of Mr. Lee Mills of Allenfarm, were married at the Exchange hotel in Navasota at midnight Tuesday night by Rev. J. M. Adams of that city. They were en route to Houston on the I. & G. N., where they intended to be married, but decided to stop off at Navasota and make the rest of the trip a bridal tour.

John L. Barnes, an employee of the I. & G. N., had his right foot crushed while attempting to get on a caboose here yesterday afternoon. He was attended by Dr. Fountain and sent to the hospital at Palestine. His mother, who resides in Houston, was notified to join him in Palestine.

E. A. Muncey, of Dallas, traveling auditor of the Wells-Fargo express company, was here yesterday checking up the books and accounts of Mr. E. B. Lomax, Wells-Fargo agent.

James C. Carter arrived yesterday from Anniston, Ala., and will spend the winter with his brother, Alonzo Carter.

Dan Quinlan, of the Quinlan & Wall minstrels, who appear here tonight at the opera house, is well known to Bryan theater-goers as the premier interlocutor of the Al G. Field's minstrels in past seasons. Mr. Quinlan's name insures a refined, elegant and strictly first-class performance. More than this his show is new—scenery, costumes, first part, olio features—everything but the performers. These are the best that experience and capital could get together.

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Failed to Arrive in Time.

The Navasota delegation to attend the K. of P. banquet at Bryan was composed of Prof. B. H. Brown, W. T. Buchanan, Ward Templeman and H. Norwood. They arrived at Bryan about 11 o'clock, too late for anything—even too late to get an appetizing mouthful of food in the burgh, but their experiences en route were enough for one evening, not to mention the professor's attempt to do the cake walk across a pond, and wading same shoe too deep. They did really enjoy that part of the trip wherein they met brother knights at the hotel after the banquet.—Navasota Examiner.

Sorry the gentlemen failed to connect with the celebration in honor of the grand chancellor. But if they were really hungry they should have given some of the brethren they met at the hotel the distress signal. C. M. Camp's Elite restaurant, near the I. & G. N. depot, stays open all night, and Navasotans all know "C. M."

Dan Quinlan, who with Jimmy Wall, owns the Quinlan & Wall Imperial Minstrels, that are to appear at the Grand opera house Saturday, November 22, is not only a performer, manager and owner, but a producer. In a word, he knows the minstrel business, all its ins and outs, and this experience he has applied to the present Quinlan & Wall organization. Dan Quinlan has originated many new ideas in minstrelsy and for twelve years has conceived and given to the stage all the wonderful, magnificent first parts. The first part of the Quinlan & Wall Imperial Minstrels is his greatest effort, his masterpiece, and is entitled, "A Reception to the Diplomatic Legion."

The Quinlan & Wall Minstrels.

An advance notice says: A rich, magnificent treat awaits the patrons of minstrelsy at the Grand opera house on Saturday night, Nov. 22. On that date the Quinlan & Wall Imperial Minstrels will appear. True, this is their inaugural season, but the organization is owned and directed by Dan Quinlan and Jimmy Wall, who are strongly intrenched behind the savings and experience of fifteen years as performers, originators and managers. It has managerial munificence, which accounts for its meteoric merit.

A Model Dramatic Troupe.

The Ethel Tucker company, which delighted hundreds of our people at the Grand opera house on each evening of last week, is one of the very best dramatic companies that have visited this city.

Miss Tucker has extra superior histrionic talent, while all the other actors are far above the average. None of the performances were marred by vulgar innuendoes, and all the plays were strictly moral, instructive and amusing. We hasten to recommend the Ethel Tucker dramatic company to the general public.—Stillwater, Okla., Democrat.

The above company will be the Thanksgiving week attraction at the Grand, with a special Thanksgiving day matinee.

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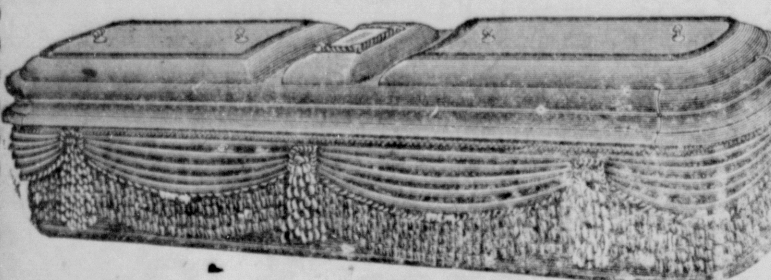
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FLEETEST OF FLEET

Cruiser Cincinnati Winner of Great Race on the Ocean.

ALABAMA FOLLOWED

One by One the Winner Left Behind the Other Ships Comprising the North Atlantic Squadron and Won Easily.

New York, Nov. 21.—Carrying a great white bone in her teeth and with phosphorescent spray dashing high up on her sharp bows, the cruiser Cincinnati forged abreast of Culebra light at midnight Thursday night, a winner in the greatest ocean race of warships ever run on the north Atlantic seaboard, says a Herald dispatch from San Juan, Porto Rico.

Barely two miles astern of the cruiser flashed the white searchlight of the great battleship Alabama. She had distanced all her rivals of the heavy weight class and had shown her quality by putting up a hammer and tongs struggle all the way from Hampton Roads, Va., with the fleet footed cruiser.

One by one she had left behind the little gunboat Machias, the Indiana of Santiago fame; the new battleship Kearsage, her own particular rival, and, last of all, the plucky Massachusetts, sister ship of the Oregon. That the comparatively old Massachusetts was a stronger competitor than the Kearsage is one of the surprises of the race.

That the Alabama came in so close a second to the fast commerce destroyer Cincinnati, even though the cruiser had been handicapped thirty five miles at the start, is a superb performance for a first class battleship heavily armed.

This is the first time in its history that the ships of the north Atlantic squadron have engaged in such a long distance speed contest in the open sea.

PRESIDENT AT WORK.

His Annual Message to Congress Will Soon Be Ready and Revised.

Washington, Nov. 21.—As soon as the president reached his office he began to dispose of a mass of accumulated business. He held brief interviews with Senators Burrows of Michigan, Scott of West Virginia and Lodge of Massachusetts.

During the next few days the president expects to put the finishing touches upon his annual message to congress. It is understood the message will be sent to congress Tuesday, Dec. 2, the second day of the session, owing to the fact that deaths have occurred in both houses during recess, which will necessitate adjournment the first day.

The document is almost completed, but some points of it are yet to be written finally the whole revised. During the early days of next week the president will consult on parts of the message with Republican leaders of congress.

Back at Washington.

Washington, Nov. 21.—President Roosevelt arrived here at 8 o'clock this morning over Southern railway. A little crowd at the station witnessed his return. He shook hands with the engineer and fireman and thanked them for the safe run they made. The president and Secretary Cortelyou were driven direct to the white house.

FROM AUSTIN.

General Grant Makes an Official Visit to the Governor of Texas.

Austin, Nov. 21.—Governor Sayers has been advised by Superintendent Baker of the Rusk penitentiary that three artesian wells are flowing combined 800,000 gallons of water every twenty-four hours. Two more are to be sunk. They are on the sugar farm and will furnish enough water to operate the sugar mill. Grinding begins Dec. 1.

General Frederick D. Grant, commander of the department of Texas, stationed at Fort Sam Houston, is here. A salute of eleven guns was fired in his honor. He paid an official visit to Governor Sayers. This is the first time in many years a department commander has visited a Texas governor. The governor has reappointed R. A. Burney clerk of the criminal district court of Galveston county.

The Santa Fe Railway company has pleaded guilty to a violation of the anti-rebate law in Texas and agrees to pay a \$5000 penalty. It gave rebates on lumber shipments to Belton parties.

Dr. Gibbons' Testimony.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 21.—Before the strike commission Dr. R. H. Gibbons said the occupation of a miner subjects him to pleurisy, gout, neuralgia, asthma, bronchitis, sciatica and other diseases. He believed the day would come when men would be subjected to a medical examination before they undertook mining. Children, he said, under the age of fifteen years should never be permitted in mines, they being predisposed to miners' asthma. The doctor described the surface indications of miners' asthma.

Shot the Girl and Killed Himself.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 21.—Because Miss Bertha Sheldon allowed another man to escort her home from the store in which she works G. A. Garlington, a student, shot her in an arm. He then blew out his brains.

REPORTS EXAGGERATED.

Letters and Telegrams State Loss of Life and Property Not Very Great.

Washington, Nov. 21.—A. Lazo Arriaga, the minister from Guatemala to the United States, has just received from his government letters and telegrams stating that the reports as published in this country about the loss of life and property caused by the eruption of the Santa Maria volcano are exaggerated. While it is true that a part of the present coffee crop is lost, the dispatches say it is generally expected that most of the plantations of the affected district will recuperate. The loss of life was very small, and the president of the republic, from the first moment, adopted the most energetic measures of relief, which the dispatch says averted considerable suffering and preserved peace and order in the affected region. Minister Lazo Arriaga denied reports that bands of robbers were swarming the desolated sections, robbing and murdering refugees, and said the official correspondence just received by him showed that such outrages could not be perpetrated.

SOCIALISTS LOST.

They, However, Came Within Four Hundred Votes of Winning Out.

New Orleans, Nov. 21.—The Socialists came within 400 votes of securing the control of the convention of the American Federation of Labor Thursday. The struggle lasted almost the entire day, and a number of able speeches were made on both sides, notably those of D. A. Hayes, James Duncan and President Gompers, against the Socialists, and Victor Berger, Max Hayes and W. B. Wilson of the United Mine Workers, in behalf of the resolution introduced by Delegate Berger and amended by Delegate Wilson in a manner acceptable to Berger. The debate lasted until 6 o'clock in the evening, when a roll call showed 4744 votes against the amendment of Mr. Wilson and 4344 in favor of it. The miners voted solidly in favor of the amendment. No business was transacted in the convention during the day other than that of debate and the report of the committee which investigated the Gompers-Shaffer trouble.

Error in Figures.

New Orleans, Nov. 21.—In the American Federation of Labor Secretary Morrison announced that an error had been made in footing the vote on the Socialist resolution of Thursday. The vote was 4897 against 4171 for, it being lost by 726 votes. The disagreement between the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and the Amalgamated Association of Woodworkers was disposed of by its reference to a committee of five from each organization, to meet within sixty days.

BURNED TO A CRISP.

Terrible Fate That Befell a Traveling Man in a Fire.

Brownwood, Tex., Nov. 21.—The Union hotel near the Frisco passenger station burned Thursday morning about 2 o'clock, and R. S. Carlisle, representing the Guarantee Loan and Banking company of Dallas, perished in the flames. His body was taken out, burned to a crisp. He was a sub-agent.

Buried Beneath Chapel.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 21.—The funeral of the late Rt. Rev. Hugh Miller Thompson, the Protestant Episcopal bishop of the diocese of Mississippi was held Thursday afternoon in St. Andrew's church. The services were conducted by Bishop Gallor of Tennessee and participated in by the bishops of Georgia, Louisiana and Dallas. The remains were interred beneath the chapel of St. Colombo's chapel.

Brought into Power.

Santiago, Chile, Nov. 21.—The political revolutions has brought the Conservative Liberal coalition into power. The new cabinet formed Wednesday in succession to the ministry which resigned Nov. 15, is presided over by Dom Elias Fernandez Albano. Senor Domingo Amunategui is the minister of foreign affairs and Senor Ricardo Cruzat is the minister of finance.

Mother Successful.

Cleburne, Tex., Nov. 21.—In the habeas corpus proceedings before Judge Poindexter Mrs. Sarah Eddy was given charge of her child, which had been secured from her at Alvarado. Mr. Eddy wanted the child and had secured it, but the court decided against him. Both of the parties in the suit are recently from Tennessee.

Giant Powder Explodes.

Ada, I. T., Nov. 21.—During a thunderstorm Thursday afternoon lightning struck the powderhouse of B. Lantry & Son at Lantry Spur, eight miles south of Ada, on the Frisco, blowing up two cars of giant powder and completely demolishing the camp. About three hundred men were employed in getting out rock for the crusher. Several were injured, but no one was killed.

New Bulgarian Ministry.

Belgrade, Serbia, Nov. 21.—General Markovizs former a new cabinet. A majority of the ministers are radicals and three of them are military men, namely the premier, the minister of war and the minister of foreign affairs. The latter is Lieutenant Colonel Eutonoco.

Were Deported.

Mobile, Nov. 21.—Three of the eight Chinese who reached here last week from Progresso, Mex., by steamer were deported on the same steamer Thursday. The other five, whose papers were in order were allowed to go to their home town, New Orleans.

Oliver Johnson shot himself to death at Mount Sylvan, Smith county, Texas.

RENEWAL OF ACTIVITY

Friends of Nicaragua Canal Project Feel Encouraged.

SECRETARY MAY ACE

Mr. Hay Has Never Taken the Position that the Negotiations With Costa Rica and Nicaragua Had Terminated.

Washington, Nov. 21.—The check in the negotiations with Colombia relative to the Panama canal has given great encouragement to the friends of the Nicaragua project, and the first evidence of renewed activity on their part was the appearance at the state department Thursday of Senor Corbea, Nicaraguan minister to Washington. Secretary Hay has never taken the ground that negotiations with Nicaragua and Costa Rica were terminated by the passage of the Spooner act. On the contrary he has felt called upon to direct the attention of the Colombian government at moments when the negotiations have lagged, or unseemingly delay intervened, to the fact that under section 4 of the Spooner act, if he is unable to obtain a satisfactory title from the Panama company and the control of the necessary territory in Colombia by treaty, then he is requested to obtain such territory from Costa Rica and Nicaragua.

The present hitch in the Colombian negotiations, therefore, has encouraged the Nicaraguan government contingent, and it is now said to be probable that to emphasize his repeated declaration that the action of congress in the passage of the Spooner amendment did not finally commit the United States to the acceptance of the Panama route, Secretary Hay may proceed to draw up a treaty with Nicaragua and Costa Rica on the lines of the protocols laid before the last senate and submit it to the senate at its next session along with a treaty with Colombia, as he may be able to conclude. In this way the senate itself might decide whether or not the Colombian treaty is satisfactory, and if it should decide in the negative, then it will have at hand Nicaraguan-Costa Rican treaties, so that there will be no excuse for delay in the canal project.

As for Colombian negotiations, it can be stated that the United States has gone to the practical end of concessions it is willing to make.

CRIPPLED CHILDREN.

There Are Said to Be Twenty-Five Thousand in New York City.

New York, Nov. 21.—The selection of crippled children in preparation for a visit to Dr. Adolph Lorenz disclosed the fact that there are probably in New York city more than 25,000 children suffering from hip diseases which are likely to make them cripples for life unless they are properly treated.

According to the doctors who have been selecting candidates for the clinic to be held by the Vienna surgeon the majority of these children need hospital treatment and this is impossible to give, as there is no hospital where they can be received. The same ratio of cases is said to exist through the state, and a movement has been inaugurated for the establishment of a hospital, to which the legislature will be asked to contribute \$100,000.

Charged With Incest.

Wichita Falls, Tex., Nov. 21.—J. M. Brown and his daughter, Mollis Brown, were jailed on a charge of incest. The parties were brought from Coleman county and a crowd awaited their arrival at the depot.

The girl is about to become a mother. They were found in a wagon yard, having traveled from Coleman. He said the girl was his wife, but later admitted the relationship. The girl at first claimed to be Brown's wife.

Mine to Be Worked.

Llano, Tex., Nov. 21.—A party of capitalists, here several days, have closed a deal whereby operations will be resumed at the Heath gold mine.

Well Known Lady Dies.

Paris, Tex., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Nat Thompson, wife of a prominent citizen, died at Chicota. She was well known throughout north Texas.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Awful devastation and great loss of life is reported by El Rosario volcano in Guatemala.

P. L. Whitesides was killed by an air compressor at South McAlester, I. T. Oklahoma board of agriculture meets at Guthrie Nov. 25.

Fritz Schrieber, 66 years old, a bachelor farmer, was found dead near Eveline, Taylor county, Texas, with a bullet hole, made from a pistol, in his head.

Yale college football eleven defeated Princeton 12 to 5 and University of Texas team was victorious over the University of Nashville at latter city 11 to 5.

A tramp endeavored to enter the residence of C. C. Jackson in Grayson county. Mr. Jackson's eleven-year-old daughter pointed a cocked pistol at him and he decided he did not have time to invade the domicile, but instead beat a hurried retreat.

First National bank of Blue Ridge, Collin county, Texas, capital stock \$30,000, has been authorized to do business.

Tommy Dixon of Joplin, Mo., and Jack Williams of New Orleans, fought fifteen rounds to a draw at Oklahoma City, Okla.

HUMOR IN HORSES.

Story of an Animal That Has More Than Its Share.

Only those who are unfamiliar with animals doubt that they have a sense of humor. Jimmy is a lively road horse who has ideas of his own and very original conceptions of what is amusing. One day the children had erected a small tent on the lawn and sat within it drinking lemonade and playing that they were banditti. Jimmy walked softly up to the side of the tent and slowly inserted his nose through a convenient slit, says Our Dumb Animals. Eyes and ears followed and, his head once within at the back of the unsuspecting revelers, Jimmy gave one tremendous sneeze of that kind which is half a snort.

The banditti fell back in every direction, and the horse, withdrawing from the tent, laughed silently to himself before going back to his grass cropping. Jimmy's favorite amusement is that of scattering a flock of sheep. When he is feeding with them in the pasture, he suddenly stops eating and then dashes among them, sending them scudding over the hillside. Then he stands watching them until they again settle to their nibbling and after a short luncheon of his own repeats the pleasing diversion. Although this horse is the gentlest creature in the world, it pleases him exceedingly to frighten any one who has shown timidity in his presence.

Jimmy's two mistresses harness him without trouble or danger, but he delights in alarming one girl cousin who visits at the house. Sundry fidgetings and nervous starts of her own were enough to show Jimmy of what manner and temperament she was, and he is merciless in taking advantage of that knowledge. If she enters the stable where he stands accepting the harness in the most docile manner, he opens his mouth, showing a wicked row of teeth, and makes a feint of snapping at her. She shrieks, his mistress scolds and reasons with him, and Jimmy apparently is then repentant.

FACTS ABOUT FEET.

The typical Irish foot is flat, rather broad and not usually long.

The Frenchman's foot is proverbially long, narrow and well proportioned.

The Scotchman's foot is high and thick, strong, muscular and capable of hard work.

The Tartar's foot is short and heavy, the foot of a certain type of savage, and the toes are all the same length.

The Englishman's foot is in most cases short and rather fleshy and not as a rule as strong as proportionately it should be.

The Russian's foot possesses at least one peculiarity which is worth noticing. The toes are generally "webbed" to the first joint.

The Spaniard's foot is generally small and, thanks to the Moorish blood which flows in the veins of most Spaniards, elegantly curved.

The latest measurements seem to show that America is in the process of developing a race with the smallest feet among all the civilized nations.

The Teutonic and Scandinavian nations appear to have the largest feet. Swedes, Norwegians and Germans standing in this respect at the head of the list.

The Arab's foot is famous for its high arch, whereby a true Arab may, indeed, always be known, the Koran saying that a stream of water can run under the foot without touching it.

Seemed to Have Got Out.

A Chicago man on his summer vacation went to a Wisconsin lake resort and one day became engaged in conversation with the proprietor. He commented on the attractiveness of the surroundings and finally asked the hotel keeper how many acres there were in the property.

"About forty," replied the proprietor. "I see there is another resort a short distance north of you. Who owns that?"

"The Widder Simmons."

"You and she join, do you not?"

The landlord's sunburned face turned a shade or two redder.

"We're expecting to next October," he said, "but I didn't think anybody'd found it out yet."

French Coffee.

The delicious flavor which all travelers in France discover in the coffee of that country is got, it is said, by the addition of a little butter and sugar during the roasting process. To every three pounds of roasting berries a tablespoonful each of butter and powdered sugar is added. These in melting spread over the beans in a thin coating, which holds the aroma and contributes a caramel flavor that is delicious and distinctive.—Harper's Bazar.

A Modern Adonis.

Lady—Your partner has fainted, I hear. How did that happen?

Officer—It is quite simple. I danced with her three times in succession. The great happiness was too much of a strain for her nerves. I am now taking my departure lest I should do any further damage.—From the German.

Friday Is Lucky.

There is luck in odd numbers. There is double luck in two odd numbers. Friday is the sixth day of the week. Six is the double of three, which is not only an odd number, but one which proverbially possesses a charm. Therefore Friday is a doubly charmingly lucky day.—Boston Advertiser.

The English Style.

Frank was learning to ride a horse, and one day somebody asked him if it bounced him very hard when the horse was trotting.

"Oh, no," he answered. "I don't bounce very hard. I stay up nearly all the time."—Little Chronicle.

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I. & G. N. to Houston Carnival.

Nov. 16 to 21, the I. & G. N. will sell round trip tickets to Houston, fare \$3.30.

Evening November 17th, will sell round trip tickets for \$1, return limit Nov. 19.

Evening of November 20th, will sell round trip tickets to Houston for \$1, return limit Nov. 23.